

# How merrily we live

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(c.1580-1648)

Soprano I

How mer-ri - ly we live that shep - herds be, we

Soprano II

How mer-ri - ly we live

Alto

How mer-ri - ly we

Practice

S1

live that shep-herds be, how mer-ri - ly we live that shep-herds

S2

that shep - herds be, how mer-ri - ly we live that shep-herds

A

live that shep-herds be, how mer-ri - ly we live that shep-herds

S1

be, that shep - herds be, roun - de - lays still we sing, roun - de - lays still we

S2

be, that shep - herds be, roun - de - lays still we sing, roun - de -

A

be, that shep - herds be,

S1 sing, roun - de - lays still we sing with mer - ry

S2 lays still we sing, still we sing, still we sing with mer - ry

A roun - de - lays still we sing, roun - de - lays still we sing with mer - ry

S1 glee, roun - de - lays still we sing with mer - ry glee, On the plea - sant

S2 glee, roun - de - lays still we sing with mer - ry glee, On the plea - sant

A glee, still we sing with mer - ry glee, On the plea - sant

S1 downs where as our flocks we see, on the plea-sant downs where as our

S2 downs where as our flocks we see, on the plea-sant downs where as our flocks

A downs where as our flocks we see, on the plea-sant downs where as our

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S1  
flocks we see, we feel \_\_\_\_\_ no cares, we

S2  
we see, we feel no cares, we

A  
flocks we see, we feel no cares, we

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S1  
fear not for - tune's frowns, we feel no cares,

S2  
fear \_\_\_\_\_ not for - tune's frowns, we feel \_\_\_\_\_ no cares, we

A  
fear not for - tune's frowns, we feel no cares, we

S1  
we fear not for - tune's frowns, we have no

S2  
fear not, fear not for - tune's frowns, we have no en - vy, we have no

A  
fear not for - tune's frowns, we have no en - vy,

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S1 en - vy which sweet mirth con - founds, which sweet mirth con - founds, sweet

S2 en - vy which sweet mirth con- founds, sweet

A which sweet mirth con - founds, sweet

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S1 mirth con - founds,

S2 mirth con - founds, we have no en - vy which sweet mirth, sweet mirth con -

A mirth con - founds, we have no en - vy which sweet mirth, sweet mirth, no

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S1 we have no en - vy which sweet mirth con- founds.

S2 founds, we have no en - vy which sweet mirth con- founds.

A en- vy which sweet mirth con - founds.